Regular Session, 1999

HOUSE BILL NO. 601

BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHN SMITH AND SENATOR CAIN

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 14(E) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to public contracts; to provide for the donation or exchange of movable surplus property between or among political subdivisions whose functions include public safety; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Legislature of Louisiana, two-thirds of the members elected to each house concurring, that there shall be submitted to the electors of the state of Louisiana, for their approval or rejection in the manner provided by law, a proposal to add Article VII, Section 14(E) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to read as follows:

§14. Donation, Loan, or Pledge of Public Credit Section 14.

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(E) Surplus Property. Nothing in this Section shall prevent the donation or exchange of movable surplus property between or among political subdivisions whose functions include public safety.

Section 2. Be it further resolved that this proposed amendment shall be submitted to the electors of the state of Louisiana at the gubernatorial primary election to be held in 1999.

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Section 3. Be it further resolved that on the official ballot to be used

at said election there shall be printed a proposition, upon which the electors

of the state shall be permitted to vote FOR or AGAINST, to amend the

Constitution of Louisiana, which proposition shall read as follows:

To authorize the donation or exchange of movable surplus

property between or among political subdivisions whose

functions include public safety. (Adds Article VII, Section

14(E))

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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